GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4303
ANSWERED ON:16.04.2001
CONSTRUCTION OF MUGHAL ROAD BETWEEN RAJOURI AND KASHMIR
DILIP KUMAR MANSUKHLAL GANDHI

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to construct Mughal Road between Rajouri and Kashmir as an alternate highway connection in the valley with the rest of country;

(b) if so, the details thereof alongwith estimated amount to be spent on the project and the financial sources thereof;

(c) whether the work on the project has since been started;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR ROAD TRANDPORT AND HIGHWAYS (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (MAJOR GENERAL (RETI KHANDURI, AVSM)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The feasibility study, detailed project preparation etc. are being carried out at present by the Government of Jammu & Kashmir. It is too early to indicate the estimated cost of the project and financial resources at this stage.

(c)to(e) Does not arise.